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January 17, 2019

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Re: California Public Records Act Request

Dear Mr. Swartz:

The Kern County Sheriff's Office ("KCSO") is in receipt of your emailed request, under the California Public Records Act, for records related to **Gunshot Detection Microphones**, dated January 10, 2019.

Kern County Sheriff's Office will need additional time to respond to your request. California Government Code 6253(c) allows for additional time to respond to a public records request in "unusual circumstances." The "unusual circumstances that exist are the following:

- (1) The need to search for and collect the requested records from field facilities or other establishments that are separate from the office processing the request.
- (2) The need to search for, collect, and appropriately examine a voluminous amount of separate and distinct records that are demanded in a single request.

The Kern County Sheriff's Office will respond to your request by February 5, 2019. If you have any questions please feel free to contact me at 661-391-7518 or email: [walshm@kernsheriff.org](mailto:walshm@kernsheriff.org)

Sincerely,

**DONNY YOUNGBLOOD,**  
Sheriff – Coroner, County of Kern County

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